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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2004, Applicants submit the following remarks.

Claims 1-4 are all the claims pending in the application.

Claims 1-3 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by published EP patent application No. 1079547 of Lidbetter et al. Claim 4 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Lidbetter in view of USP 6,321,084 to Horrer. Applicants respectfully traverse these rejections, and request reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in view of the following arguments.

Claim 1 recites a system for providing a mobile telephone service on board a vehicle, the system being connected to a public land mobile network via a satellite and including means for setting up at least one transport connection between the vehicle and the public land mobile